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Further to Applicants' response of November 3, 2005 in the above-identified application, the Examiner is respectfully requested to acknowledge consideration of the references indicated on the attached IDS Form PTO/SB/08a/b. The IDS was filed on December 16, 2004. Should the Examiner require copies of the cited references, the undersigned would be happy to supply same once notified.

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